



Response Under 37 CFR 1.116  
Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 2833

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re application of	)	SHIELDED CONNECTOR OF
	)	REDUCED SIZE WITH
Yamaguchi et al.	)	IMPROVED RETENTION
	)	CHARACTERISTICS
	)	
Serial No.09/660,888	)	Group Art Unit 2833
	)	
Filed: September 13, 2000	)	Examiner: F. Figueroa
	)	
	)	Attorney Docket: A0-104-US

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Box AF  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action issued

subsequent to filing of our Amendment After Final Action dated January 22, 2002.

The extension is for filing a response late but within the third month of extension.

Please charge the extension fee of \$920.00 and any additional fees or credit any

overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-2126. An extra copy is enclosed.

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Mary Anne Everett